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G. V. G. & N. RAILROAD,

TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and FORT THOMAS.
Taking effect May 31st, at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.				No. 2.
6 30 a.m.	Lv.	Fort Thomas §	Ar.	5 40 p.m
7 04 a.m.	Lv.	Mathewsville ‡	Lv.	5 05 p.m
7 17 a.m.	Ar.	Pima §	Lv.	4 55 p.m
7 45 a.m.	Lv.		Ar.	4 25 p.m
7 63 a.m.	Lv.	Central ‡	Lv.	4 14 p.m
8 05 a.m.	Lv.	Thatcher ‡	Lv.	4 04 p.m
8 19 a.m.	Ar.	Safford §	Lv.	3 50 p.m
9 29 a.m.	Lv.		Ar.	3 30 p.m
8 48 a.m.	Ar.	Solomon §	Lv.	3 10 p.m
8 53 a.m.	Lv.		Ar.	2 55 p.m
9 21 a.m.	Lv.	Rail N Ranch ‡	Lv.	2 25 p.m
9 33 a.m.	Lv.	Big Wind Mill ‡	Lv.	2 11 p.m
9 50 a.m.	Lv.	Bailey's Wells ‡	Lv.	2 00 p.m
10 57 a.m.	Lv.	G. V. G. & N. ys. §	Lv.	1 10 p.m
11 00 a.m.	Ar.	Bowie §	Lv.	1 00 p.m

Mountain Time

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R. at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tonto Basin.

‡ Stations have no agents.
§ Telegraph Stations.

The Company reserves the right to vary this schedule as circumstances may require.

W. M. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg†		10 20 a m
1 00 p m	20	2	†Summit †	20	9 20 a m
2 00 p m	40	3	At Duncan†	20	8 20 a m
2 10 p m	...		Lv Duncan‡	...	8 10 a m
2 25 p m	47	4	* † Shel'n†	7	7 45 a m
2 48 p m	50	5	* † Yorks †	3	7 38 a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Cananda†	5	7 25 a m
3 25 p m	60	7	† Guthrie †	4	7 10 a m
3 55 p m	64	8	* †s Siding†	5	6 45 a m
4 00 p m	66	9	† n Siding†	2	6 40 a m
4 30 p m	71	10	At Clifton†	5	6 15 a m

Trains run daily except Sunday
* Stop on Signal † Leave ‡ Arrive.

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Dr. M. E. Brenner,
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SAFFORD, - - ARIZONA
Has finished his new office and is prepared to make good false plates from $10.00 up. Teeth positively extracted without pain.
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And everything usually kept in a first-class drug store.

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CHAS. H. PORTER, M. D
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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interest Picked up Here and There.

W. E. Beck, of Clifton, was in the city this week on business.

READ THE GUARDIAN.

Indications are that the Thomas celebration will be a great success.

Dan. H. Ming, of Thomas was in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoops, of Thatcher started for St. David on Tuesday last.

Jesse B. Hayes, of Pima, passed through Safford, Wednesday, en route to Solomonville.

J. T. Owens keeps the finest line of shoes in town. 4-20 tf

All arrangements have been completed with the Globe base ball team to play the Athletic's at Thomas on the fourth of July.

A full line of Millinery Stock at T. T. Hunter,s. 4-6-tf

Several of our townsmen were summoned to the "hub" this week as witnesses and jurymen in the case of Palm vs McCarty.

Marriage lisence were issued this week by Judge Cluff to Mr. Seth Johnson and Mary Anderson Mr. Sam'l Norton and Miss A. Holyoak, all of Pima.

While at work on the roof of his house on Wednesday last, Wm. Kirtland mashed the third finger on his left hand very badly, which is causing him a great deal of pain,

Dr J. S. Dodge, who recently arrived from the east, paid Thomas a visit last Monday for the purpose of seeking a suitable place to locate. Dr. Dodge comes among us well recommended, and we hope one of the numerous towns in the valley will suit him.

Sunday the 29th will be the last practice day before the fourth of July, and every member of the Athletic base ball club is requested to meet at Thomas for their final practice on Sundady. Come out boys, and let us get in a good days work.

I can cure you of the tobacco habit for $2.50. I guarantee No-To-Bac to cure you. Call at my store and buy $2.50 worth and if it does not cure you I will refund the money, if you follow my directions.

6-1-tf. J. T. OWENS.

E. T. Hubbard was in town on Tuesday last and informed us that the Blair & Hubbard roller flour mill will commence running on Tuesday next. They have purchased a steam engine and expect to do a big business this year. They are now paying the cash market price for wheat.

The Robinson boys have recommenced work on their mamoth hall at Thatcher and expect to complete it in the near future. A good public hall is something Thatcher is badly in need of. As, since Mr. Allred has converted his hall into a store, Thatcher is entirely destitute of a house for amusement, except the Academy building which was not built for that purpose.

A strange case is reported to be troubling Tucson physicians at the present time. A lady was brought in from Mammoth a few days ago who was suffering from nose bleeding, which had been bothering her then for two days, and she could not find relief. The physicians here have thus far been unable to stop the bleeding, excepting for a little while at a time, and then by drastic measures. She says that such trouble is common in her family.—*Star.*

Up in Idaho a coronor's jury (so far as known still unhanged) brought in a verdict of suicide in the case of a foreman who had been found dead shortly after the miners had ordered him to leave. When found an ax was buried in the back of his head. The difficulty of indulging in suicide by this method is so apparent as to excite a natural query as to which juryman owned the ax.—*Winslow Mail.*

A. A. Schwerin, of Solomonville was in the city on Monday last. Mr. Schwerin is the owner of some of the best mining prospects in the county. They are located about 24 miles northwest of Thomas, and with one days work a loaded wagon can be driven to the mine, where a fine spring furnishes water. He has had an assay made of some of the ore which resulted as follows. Location No.1 8-10 oz. gold, 1-2 oz silver, location No. 2 7-10 oz gold 1 1-10 oz silver location No. 3, 6 1 11 oz gold silver 8 oz. The ore from the last named location amounts in value to $126.80.

"Throw Up Your Hands!"

A good one on Jim Parks reached us from Clifton this week.

It appears that some horses had been stolen in New Mexico and officers from Silver City had tracked the thief into Clifton. After ascertaining that the man they wanted was in the camp they went to the ranch of W. E. Beck and he went into town and notified Deputy Sheriff Parks that the officers wished to see him, and he went to the ranch and held an interview with them, received a discription of the man wanted and started back to town to make the arrest, followed soon after by the officers.

He learned that his man was in the barber shop, but when he arrived there the man was in the barber chair and Jim did not recognize him. The Silver City officers by this time had reached the barber shop and had stationed themselves on the outside.

When Jim did not find his man in the house he started for the outside again and just as he reached the door one of the officers on the outside dodged behind a tree, and it being night and his size corresponding with that of the fellow wanted, Jim threw his gun down on him and ordered him to throw up his hands. The officer tried to remonstrate. "Throw up your hands," cried Jim, "or I'll bore you," and up went the officer's hands like a rocket. He was then compelled to come from behind the tree, when he explained that although his looks and actions might correspond with the man wanted he was an officer and not a thief. Deputy Parks gave him a short lecture about dodging behind trees and allowed him to take his hands down.

Jim felt that he had been badly sold, but not to be baffled by one failure he re-entered the shop and located his man in the barber chair with the barber leaning over him, giving him a clean shave. "Throw up your hands," said the big deputy, at the same time poking an ugly-looking six-shooter into his face. His hands went up and the barber keeled over backwards, hardly knowing whether Jim was after him or the horse thief.

Jim offered to treat the whole town twice if no one would tell it on him, but it finally got out.

Fruit and Health.

The liberal use of fruit has always been recommended by leading doctors as conductive to health, and is known to possess curative medical properties varying in the different varieties. Every little while the medical profession makes new recommendations regarding the use of some particular kinds of fruit for certain diseases. Among the latest suggestions on the subject are the following, which appeared recently in the Medical *World*. It says that the pomelo is almost as good as quinine for malarial troubles, and pineapple is a sure cure for sore throat. Tomatoes are perfect liver regulaters—they contain a large prrportion of mercury. Oranges act on the kidneys very beneficially; lemons and grapes are efficacious in curing and preventing cancerous troubles. Water cresses act on the lungs; and are said to be a cure for incipient consumption. They certainly have marvelous tonic power and refresh one after great fatigue. A diet of grapes as a cureall has been proved valuable in hundreds of cases, and if taken in time, a case of jaundice can be cured by eating nothing but lettuce and lemon juice.—*Free Press.*

Mr. A. Stewart lost a pair of double eye glasses in Safford a few days ago. The finder of the same will confer a favor on Mr. Stewart by leaving thew at this office.

In another column will be found H. A. Zeckendorf's new ad. Mr. Zeckendorf carries the largest stock of jewelry, watches, clocks, diamonds &c, of any house in the territory.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Public notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Fonda & Patton, and doing business at Safford and Globe Arizona is dissolved by mutual consent from and after this date. And all bills due to and from the Safford House will be settled by and with W. B. Fonda and all bills due to and from the Globe House will be settled by and with J. F. Patton.

W. B. FONDA.
I. F. PATTON.

RANCH FOR SALE.

Eighty acres of improved land two miles from Safford, patented thirty acres in alfalfa, twenty-five acres planted in corn, comfortable adobe dwelling, best well of water in the valley, irrigation facilities unsurpassed, water cannot fail until the Gila river goes dry. The ranch will pay the purchase money in two years from the alfalfa alone.

Apply to
F. L. B. GOODWIN, Solomonville

A GOOSEBERRY

Enters the Head of a Girl and Results in Death.

A little five-yeaa-old daughter of John Wellworth, a trustee of Washington Township, died last night, the result of a peculiar misadventure. She was running through the garden when she fell on her face. Scrambling to her feet, she immediately complained of something causing her head to throb. The pain soon became worse, and a physician was called, who was unable to diagnose the cause. The child grew worse and died four hours after the accident in great agony.

An examination of her head was made from the nose, and a large green gooseberry was found in a small recess far back in the head. The case is a peculiar and rare one. The only theory which can be arrived at is that in falling the berry was introduced into the child's nose, and by drawing her breath quickly, as one will do in such an instance, the berry was drawn into the head. The gooseberry is about the size of a small hickory nut.—*Cin. Enq.*

Committed Suicide.

Several weeks ago B. Muller and wife, whose home is in New York came to Phenix, the former suffering with consumption, after having traveled all over California seeking relief.

After arriving at Phenix the invilid seemed to regain strength, but in their travels they had spent most of their savings, which seemed at times to weigh heavily on the mind of Mr. Muller. He had been heard to remark on several occasions that he wished he was dead, but Mrs Muller attached no importance to the remarks until one day last week he started down town when she asked him where he was going and he replied that he would be back in an hour. But the hour passed, then noon, night and morning came and still he did not return and Mrs. Muller became almost frantic. Searching parties were organized and for several days searched the surrounding country and dragged the canals for the missing man. and finally found his body a short distance from the Salt River canal with a bullet hole through his head and the following letter in one of his pockets:

"To the Coroner: I commit suicide because I am sick with consumption and my money is nearly all gone. Please give me a cheap burial. I tried poison but it would not succeed."

Under the above a line was drawn and the following addressed to Mr. Bell, at whose house he had been stopping.

"To Mr. Bell, 427 West Adams street: Please see that my wife gets off to New York just as soon as possible. Good-bye.

B. MULLER.

Grand Excursion on July 4th.

The G. V. G. & N. Railroad will sell excursion tickets from Bowie and all points on the line to Thomas on account of the Grand Fourth of July celebration, at one fare for the round trip; good going on the 3d & 4th returning up to and including the 6th.

A special extra will leave Solomon at 7 a. m. the morning of the 4th and arrive at Thomas at 7:40 a.m

Another extra will leave Bowie on the arrival of No 19 about 9 a. m., and arrive at Thomas at 12 m.

An extra will leave Thomas immediately after the grand ball, about 4 a.m. and another train will leave at 6:30.

Wanted to Kill Grover.

A crazy soldier whose name is William Campbell was arrested on June 24th, at Clyde, N. J., while on his way to Washington to kill President Cleveland.

Harvesting in this section is almost completed.

Our Mexican population were out on a "high-lonesome" on San Juan's day.

The article that appeared in the GUARDIAN some weeks ago under the head of "A Thoroughbred Democrat," Mr. Allred, the writer, informs us should have been addressed to the St. Louis *Republic* instead of the *Republican.*

GRAND BALL.

There will be a Grand Ball given at Jacobson's new hall on the night of July 4th. The best music will be provided for the ocassion that can be obtained in the valley. The floor is the best in the valley and the hall will be brilliantly lighted.

ORGAN FOR SALE.

A good Lyon & Healy Organ for sale cheap. Apply at this office. 6-28-tf.

NOTICE.

The United States Land Laws read that all Land Notices must be published in the paper nearest the land.

TERRITORIAL.

Clipped and Condensed From Late Exchanges.

PASSING EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Happenings Throughout the Territory Edited With the Scissors.

Kingman will have a blowout the Fourth and one to be proud of. Though the time is short for advertising, the parties who have charge are workers and a rousing success will crown their efforts.—*Mohave Co. Miner.*

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It is reported that the S. P. road will abandon its line of track between Gila Bend and Tucson and construct a new line between these points by way of Mesa City and Florence.—*Arizona Sentinel.*

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The Court of private land claims at Santa Fe N. M. has declared to be invalid, the Calabasass land grant. This action of the court throws open thousands of acres of good land to settlement. The town of Calabasas and the surrounding country was covered by the grant. —*Vidette.*

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It is rumored that the new women's bible will omit the 22d verse of the 5th chapter of St. Paul's Epistle to the Ephesians. Now dust the family bible and find out what it is. We will wager that not one in a hundred can quote it without looking it up.—*Arizona Republican.*

The senior editor of the *Belt* takes the bet. The verse referred to is as follows (read critical, it contains an odor of sanctity):

"Wives, submit yourself unto your own husbands, as unto the Lord."

In proof that we have not dusted our bible, we submit it dust-covered a quarter of an inch thick. —*Silver Belt.*

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Otto Moore has turned the Aravaipa stage line over to Wm. Whelen, who will complete the contract. Mr. Moore made his last trip last Wednesday.—*Sulpur* [illegible]

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Newspapers are pl[illegible] luck. The Tucson [illegible] suit of $25,000 pending [illegible] court and now the El Paso *Herald* has been called upon to pungle $5000 for lacerating the feelings of a brother journalist. We advise our contemporaries, in Tucson and El Paso, to settle up and begin afresh with clean slates. A few thousand dollars to a newspaper man is but an indifferent sum to pay considering the exquisite pleasure afforded in combing down a rival.—*Citzen.*

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Chas. W. Pugh, of the Stockman, has begun a suit in the justice's court at Willcox against some of his delinquent subscribers. Hope he'll beat them, for of all contemptible people on earth, those who take a paper out of the postoffice week after week and year after year with the intention of never paying for it, are the most so. There is some respect to be had for a swindler on a large scale, but a pretty swindler is deserving of none whatever. If a man don't want a paper when the time for which he has paid has expired, let him refuse it, and the law makes it the duty of the postmaster to notify the publisher. No selfrespecting publisher will send his paper to a man who does not want it and who never expects to pay for it. At the same time, the paper is expected to look pleasent and boom the country and advance the interests of each individual citizen while it is being bilked from soda to hock.—*Tribune.*

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Miss Allie Hunter arrived from Safford Saturday and will remain the guest of Mrs. Bright until the excursion of the 7th of July, when she will go to the coast for a couple of months, returning in time, and greatly refreshed for her labors this winter in the Clifton school. Her grandma will go with her to California to remain for the summer. Miss Allie looks well and is very kindly received by her Willcox friends.—*Sulphur Valley News.*

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Mr. A. D. McLean, late foreman of the Detroit copper mines at Morenci, Arizona, accompanied by Mr. Shankland, of Solomonville, arrived in Globe on Thursday. Mr. McLean has been appointed superintendent of the Old Dominion Copper Company, under the new management. Mr. McLean has had a long and successful experience in copper mining in Arizona, having been with the Detroit company for more than twelve years.—*Globe Belt.*

If you want a good suit of clothing go to J. T. Owens. 4-20-tf

G. V. G. & N. R. R. Ore Tariff From Fort Thomas, Pima, Safford and Solomon To Bowie, Arizona. Taking Effect June 1st, 1895.

Ore and concentrations, value not exceeding $22 per ton $1.50 per ton.

Ore and concentrations, value over $25 but not exceeding $50 per ton, per ton $1.50.

Ore and concentrations, valued over $100 per ton, communicate with the General Freight office for a rating.

Rates are for ore in car loads of not less than 24,000 pounds.

These rates apply only on lots of twelve tons or over. On lots of four tons and under twelve, 20 per cent, and on lots of one ton and less than four, 50 per cent, will be added to the above rates. Ore base metal, copper matte and ore concentrations, etc., in lots of less than one ton, see Local Tariff. In no cases must the charges on a small exceed those on a larger quantity.

WM. GARLAND.
President.

SUPPLEMENTAL TARIFF SCHEDULE BETWEEN BOWIE AND DEMING N. M.

Ore value not exceeding $100 per ton, $3.00 per ton; over $100 but not over $300 per ton, $3.80 per ton.

BETWEEN BOWIE, AND EL PASO TEXAS

Ore value not to exceed $25. per ton—$3.00 per ton; not to exceed $100 per ton—$3.60; over $100 but not over $300 per ton; $4.40 per ton.

BETWEEN BOWIE PUEBLO AND DENVER.

Ore value not to exceed $25 per ton, to Pueblo $8.00; to Denver $9.50; exceeding $100 but not over $300 per ton $15.40.

BETWEEN BOWIE AND KANSAS CITY.

Ore, value not to exceed $50 per ton —$10; over $50, not to exceed $100 per ton—$11; over $100, not to exceed $200 per ton—$14.50.

Pima Happenings.

It has been very hot and sultry for the past two or three days, with good indications for rain but as yet it has failed to come.

[illegible] number of Pima's young [illegible] dinner, [illegible] and a game of base ball between the Tenderfoot and Sorehead teams.

We understand that Seth Johnson and Mamie Anderson were married yesterday.

Mr. B. F. Pascoe, of Globe, came up on last Thursday's train. He will probably remain here until the Globe mines resume operations. Mr. Pascoe recently purchased the house and lot belonging to Abe Windsor.

Water is scarce here now. It is running in the town ditch at $60 per hour.

Nuttal's mill is grinding steadily now, turning out a very good grade of flour considering that the wheat is new.

A large number of Pimaites will go to Thomas on the Fourth, and many more would go if there was a train back in the evening.

Many of the farmers are busy planting corn on the land from which they have just removed a crop of wheat or barley.

Should be Prosecuted.

A gilded youth who would like to make himself notorious, even by villainous deeds, spent last evening in strewing a dozen or two papers of tacks over Chihuahua, Sonora and Santa Fe streets, where bicycle riders most do congregate. The result was that last night numerous riders had their tires made very tired, and their machines are now in the shops. This sowing of tacks, like the sowing of wild oats, is something that cuts both ways. There are numberless children about town who go barefooted, especially at this time of the year; and these children will be sure to stick tacks into their feet. That this may result in numerous cases of lockjaw is evident. There ought to be an ordinance punishing offenders of this class. Members of the bicycle clubs were out in force this morning sweeping the roadways clear of the villainous tacks. —*El Paso Herald.*

See the program for the fourth at Thomas in another column. Its a daisy.

BIRTHS.

MOODY—On May 3d, to the wife of Wm. A. Moody, on the Samoa Island, a daughter.

CASTLE—On the 20th inst. to the wife of Harry L. Castle, of Clifton, a son.

ORGAN FOR SALE.

A good Lyon & Healy Organ for sale cheap. Apply at this office. 6-28-tf.

THE END NOT YET.

But Will Probably Be Reached To-morrow

Considerable ill feeling has existed between G. B. McCarty and B. Palm for some months past.

Just before the last term of the District Court Mr. McCarty entered suit against Mr. Palm for a debt, which was to have been tried at that term. Mr. Palm claimed that he did not owe McCarty anything, but on the other hand McCarty owed him. Before the trial of the case came up a compromise was effected by Palm paying McCarty $25,00 and he claims that settled everything between them, but Mc Carty claims that it does not, as he says he made a coffin for Chas. Adams which was not paid for in the settlement. Finally Mr. Mc Carty wrote to Charleys mother in Texas informing her that the making of the coffin had not been paid for, and she forwarded $10 to Palm with instructions to pay it to Mc Carty if it was due him. Barney received the money all right but as he claimed it was not due Mc he returned it to Mrs. Adams.

When McCarty discovered this he was wild, and on the 8th inst. just as Barney was about to board the train to go to Florence as a Grand Juror, McCarty stepped up to him and demanded that ten dollars. Palm replied that he did not owe him ten dollars, whereupon Mc. nailed him and the blood flew in good shape from Barney's face for a few minutes. The combatants were separated and Barney drew his jack knife exclaiming that if he was attacked again he would defend himself with it, whereupon McCarty pulled a gun but no damage was done with either and Palm went on to Florence and when he returned home they both appeared before Justice Fonda, and McCarty complained on himself and was fined $25.00 for assault and battery and supposed that would be the end of it. But Barney did not propose to let it drop here and last Monday he swore out a complaint before Justice Judia charging McCarty with flourishing deadly weapon with out due cause. The case was tried before Squire Judia last Tuesday. R. E. Wilson, whom Barney had employed and District Attorney Jones looked [illegible]

[illegible] nesday morning they reported that they could not agree upon the verdict, and were therefore discharged and the case set for a new trial to morrow morning at 9 c'clock, when the end will probably be reached.

Threatened to Lynch Him.

For a time last Friday it looked as though a lynching would be held in St. Louis. "Lynch him," "brain the villain," "[illegible] him up to a lamp post," [illegible] equally threatening, arose from all sides of a crowd gathered around a salvation army detatchment. An ice man by the name of Kerns tried to drive his wagon over the Salvationists while they were on their knees in prayer and his conduct was resented by the crowd. Kerns was arrested. Just before the ice man drove in sight T. T. Stewart of the Nicholson house had ordered the porter to turn the hose on the men and women and drive them away.

A Narrow Escape.

S. P. Borton, of Borton Bros. eastern shoe dealers was here last week and reports a narrow escape he had from joining the silent majority. While a passenger on the Fort Thomas and Globe stage line, a fellow passenger, who was sitting on the back seat, saw a rabbit, he got out his six shooter and carlessly laid it on the seat from where it was jolted to the floor of the coach and was discharged, the ball passing through Mr. Borton's coat tail and coming out at the neck band. Lucky for Mr. Borton, however, he was in a leaning position and was not injured, but says he was frightened like the duce.

Ed. Phillips has sold his header to some people from Eden.

Frank Judia, Solomonville's genial barber passed through here last Wednesday on his way to Thomas.

Hundreds of sacks of grain are being shipped to the Safford mills daily from the surrounding country.

The young people of Safford are preparing a play, "Among the Breakers" to be presented in the Layton meeting house on the eve of July 24th.

Now that you have your grain harvested and threshed and in the grainery is as good a time as you will ever have to pay your subscription to the GUARDIAN.

The railroad company have extended the side track here so as to run in front and near enough to the new flour mill so that cars can be loaded from the mill. The track was completed yesterday.

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ARIZONA'S OFFICIAL "KENNEL."

In its salutatory, the GUARDIAN announced to the public its fixed, uncompromising policy upon the financial question, and its daily increasing circulation approves the wisdom of its course. It is essentially the free silver paper of Arizona, holding to that above all other questions. The matter of the free coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1 has now become the issue of the hour. Those who do not approve the financial policy of the GUARDIAN and who are tired of its continuous silver editorials had better quit reading its columns.

The "Democratic Dollar of the Dad's" has stood at the head of its columns from the hour of its birth, as indicating its hope and policy, and there it will remain, despite opposition, envy and criticism, until it witnesses the triumph of its principles. What the avarice of the gold bugs fails to accomplish in one way it seeks to perform through other channels, and the canterizing touch of traitorous hands in our midst seeks to leave the mark upon the banns of our ewe lamb. Arizona, [illegible] Arizona, [illegible] gage at [illegible] times editorial references regularly in favor of that blighting policy of the moneyed Shylocks which has filled a land of peace and plenty with the wailing cry of poverty and want, and it is but a repetition of the old, old story, when we behold the appointees of Arizona's executive faithful and obedient to his will, defending [illegible] of their superiors [illegible] the fixed and well known editorial policy of the GUARDIAN.

The spaniel will lick its master's hand and seek for favor above all others in the "kennel;" while basking at its master's feet, it will plead with fawning mien for crumbs from its master's table, and the unceasing oscillation of its tail marks its uncontrollable pleasure, born of an occasional caressing stroke of its master's hand. The convulsive yelp and howl heard now and oft from the hungry throat of some measly, mangy cur in our midst tells us that the official "kennel" of Arizona is "no dream." It is a realization. The Governor of Arizona had better "call in his dogs."

WHEN James Reavis said on the witness stand at Santa Fe, that Dr. Willing transferred his title to the Peralta grant to him, he lied, said Joseph H. Andrews, brother-in-law of Dr. George M. Willing. "I was with the doctor in Prescott, Arizona, at the time of his death, and under no circumstances could the statement made by Reavis be true. Not only would the transfer have been impossible but I never heard of Reavis during the years I lived in Arizona up to 1879, not until his now famous claim came up to fight through the proceedings in the land court. He is a rank impostor."

PAUL Laske and William Shultz who have been convicted at Prescott of the murder of G. K. W. McNary, a harmless inoffensive old prospector in January last, were sentenced last week by Judge Hawkins to be hanged August 9.

HARDLY a day passes but what brings dispatches telling of the advance of wages in nearly every factory in the country.

SOME SILVER HISTORY.

No one asked publicly for such a change in the standard. There was no open demonstration, no petitions to congress and no public discussion of the question when silver was demonetized in 1873. Only the Shylocks who reaped a profit at the nations expense knew the full import of the act at the time of its passage or, for that matter, till long afterwards.

President Grant was chief executive at the time and he claimed that he signed the bill without knowing what he was doing. James G. Blaine was speaker in the House and, smart as he certainly was, he made a plea of total ignorance. Senators and members of the House have been excusing themselves since 1873 by declaring that "they didn't know it was loaded." John Sherman knew and many others knew how much their wealth increased after the passage of the bill however, for the money-barons did not accomplish this great undertaking without the aid of their filthy lucre.

Goldbugs declare that the act demonetizing silver was several times printed widly, published and freely discussed. There is absolutely no truth in this claim, as there was no discussion in either House relative to the financial question at that time. It was a deed consummated in the dark and the infamy of it was not discovered till the stench it caused became unbearable to the suffering public. The only question now is how much longer will the American people suffer this crime to go unpunished or allow the evils which have grown up under it to remain uncorrected.

The original plot came from London. It was conceited on Lombard street and as usual Wall street seconed the motion.

Emissaries of the money power were sent to Washington and in the lobby did the dastardly work from which this country has suffered more or less ever since. It matters not that a republican administration was in power in 1873 when the crime of demonetization was committed, it was an act which admits of no justification. The only excuse ever offered was ignorance and each [illegible] was little short of a [illegible].

Since the demonetization of silver, men have been racking their brains to find some reason to believe in it. And while no one can advance an argument in justification of the movement in 1873 when silver stood well as a money metal throughout the world, some now pretend to fear that America could not resume her former position since other great commercial nations have debased the white metal and have established the single gold basis.

THE cause of honest money will be advanced by the Memphis convention in the degree that the people shall become convinced that the movement for bimetallism is championed by men of brains, personal influence and political power says the Kansas City *Joarnal*. The free and equal coinage of both gold and silver is demanded by every American interest. Hard times served to stimulate the study of economic questions. The result is that the people are better informed on the financial needs of the country than they have ever been before—and that accounts for the outpouring of political leaders at the Memphis gathering.

An Indian named "Man Afraid-of Nothing" married a white woman in Montana recently, and in one week after his wedding he applied to his tribe to have his name changed.

WHEN the jury found Editor Dunbar guilty it was the duty of the court to impose some penalty, but we beleive the fine of $1000 to be very severe, and ought to be remitted.

A Correct Answer.

MORENCI ARIZ.- June 17th 1895.

EDITOR GUARDIAN:—The poem, "You Kissed Me" was written by Miss Josephine Hunt in 1867, in Manchester N. H. She died the same year as the wife of William Hood. Yours Truly,
James A. Smith.

Your answer is correct, Bro. Smith and your name will go on our subscription list for one year, and by this mail we will send you a copy of coins Financial School and if you are not already, we hope it will make you a thorough Free Silver Democrat.

THE DUNBAR CASE.

In the issue of Oct. 10th, 1895, the Arizona *Gazette* printed an article in which it characterized the "Governor, Secretary Bruce, Marshal Meade and then attorney general, Heney, as assassins, booters, hoodoos, patronages peddlers and land grant sharks."

For which Editor Dunbar and Jas. H. McClintock, the latter business manager of the *Gazette* were indicated for libel. Then more was printed, and more arrests followed until there accumulated against the Arizona *Gazette* company, no less than eleven charges upon which the employees of that paper had to answer.

The result staked up according to the *Gazette* about this way:

Dunbar got ten days on one charge of contempt and sixty days on another, as well as a few hundred fine.

King got thiry days and a fine of $100.

Judge W. H. Barnes, leading counsel for defendants, got ten days and $100 fine.

Then habeas corpus was tried. Jndge Baker, of the third judicial district, released Barnes, but held Dunbar, who, however, spent about all of his ten days out of the care of the sheriff, but was still held under bonds for libel, the trial for which took place on the 20th inst.

During the time that all these accusations, arrests and trials were taking place, it seemed as though the initial case of libel had been buried, but, despite all, it seemes to have retained its life, and on the 20th "got action on itself" with all vigor, when the jury returned a verdict of guilty and Judge Bethune fined Editor Dunbar $1000.

MORMON SOCIAL CONDITIONS.

Advantages of Town Life Blended with the Charms of Rural Existence.

Social changes of a marked character will be wrought by the occupation of the arid region. In this matter also Mormon experience is luminous. Brigham Young sought to found his prosperity not only on industrial ethics, but also upon the happiness of the people. He would not tolerate idleness, and the walls of cobblestone still standing in the older portions of Salt Lake City were invented that the church might pay for the labor of men who would otherwise have been temporarily supported by charity. As a means of furnishing entertainment various diversions were planned, including the Saturday night dance, led by the bishops of the wards. The leader's wisdom is almost as clearly exhibited in his social scheme as is his plan of industry. The central idea in it was the farm-village. A village site, generally a half mile square, is selected in the midst of a tract of 5,000 or 6,000 acres to be colonized. In Utah there are many small valleys between the towering mountains and the village site is generally located near the center of the valley, and near the river from which the water is diverted into canals on each side at a sufficient elevation to command the irrigated lands. The half a square mile is then laid out into blocks of four acres, with broad avenues between, and the blocks are divided into lots of an acre each. On these lots the farmers have their homes. Here also are their commodious barns. Here they have their poultry and swine, while considerable space is devoted to a market garden. The farmer then has his farm on the outlying lands, which are divided into lots ranging from two up to twenty acres. From the public park in the center to the fartherest outlying farm is only two and a half miles. Most farmers traverse a much shorter distance to reach the farm from their homes. On the other hand, the women and children enjoy the important advantage of having near neighbors, while the church, schoolhouse, store, and postoffice are near at hand. Under this system the advantages of town life are blended to a very considerable degree with the charms of rural existance. It is a system full of delightful possibilities. The Mormons have realized its substantial advantages in neighborhood association; but their model will be much improved upon by many colonies of more recent establishment. Farm life under the old conditions has involved isolation. The hunger for human sympathy and company has driven thousands from the country to cities already overcrowded. This factor is responsible for many a social tragedy, as well as for the problems which have arisen in congested city populations.—*The Century.*

GEN. Quezada has secured the inlestment of 1,500 men from Brooklin, Jersey City and Preth Amboy for the war in Cuba. They are now at Tampa Florida, from which place they will attempt to reach Cuba.

READ THE GUARDIAN.

BOOKS AND BOOK MAKERS.

IN Portugal a married woman cannot legally publish literary work without her husband's consent.

F. J. IRWIN, of Oswego, N. Y., has an interleaved Bible which cost him $10,000. It is in sixty imperial folio volumes.

JUDGE OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES gave to the Berkshire Athenæum 1,000 volumes from the library of his father the late Dr. Holmes.

MME. SARAH GRAND does all her novel writing in secret, and even her own family know nothing of what she is doing until it is finished.

THE first English book on stenography, so far as known, was written by Dr. Timothy Bright in 1588. Its earlier inventions are attributed to the Latin poet, Ennius, to Seneca, Cicero and several others.

J. M. BARRIE, the novelist, opened his literary career by writing leading articles for a Nottingham paper. David Christie Murray commenced his journalistic career on the staff of a Birmingham paper.

Matchmaking in New Mexico.

In the old Spanish-American days in the southwest marriage was a matter in which the contracting parties had little to say, the question of choice and fitness being settled by the parents of the couple. The practice has fallen so much out of date in the present generation that it sounds odd to read now in a published account of a recent marriage at Guadalupita, N. M., in which a Mexican of sixty-eight years wedded a senorita of sixteen years, that the compensation he was called upon to make for the difference in their respective ages was settled at thirty varas of land, an adobe house and five apple trees, presumably to be paid to her parents.

Explicit Directions.

An American, traveling in England, on one occasion happened to be in the neighborhood of Millbank prison, and fancied that he would like a glimpse at that famous place of detention. "Can you tell me the way to Millbank?" he asked of a stout tradesman whom he met. "Aye," answered John Bull; "knock me down and rob me pockets, and you'll soon enough be on the straight road there!" Then, without vouchsafing any further information, he passed on with a chuckle.

BRIGHT MOMENTS.

CLUB MAN (rather full)—"I wish you'd (hic) take me home. Do you know where (hic) I live?" Policeman—"What's the name of your cook?"—Life.

MCSWATTERS — "It's very funny." Mrs. McSwatters — "What is?" McSwatters—"Why, when the doctor treats me I always have to pay for it."—Syracuse Post.

DUFFY—"That's a pretty bright dog of yours, Jawkins." Jawkins—"Why, yes; I believe that if he only knew how to talk, he'd be smart enough to keep his mouth shut!"—Harper's Bazar.

THEOLO—"Don't you think there will be any punishment hereafter for a man who commits bigamy?" Diablo—"Of course I do. Both his wives will be there at the same time."—Brooklyn Life.

A Letter from Mr. Allred

To the Democrats of Graham county, Arizona greeting: We have always been styled the banner Democratic county of the Territory and, although we met with a signal defeat in the late campaign, we were the only county in the Territory that cast a majority vote for the Democratic candidate for Delegate to Congress, but our majority was so small that I did not feel very proud of the showing.

Dissensions crept into our ranks which demonstrated the fact that, "a house divided against itself cannot stand." Now the great question that confronts us is, how can we rally our scattered forces? throw aside individual likes and dislikes, and unite on the true principals of Democracy to bear aloft the banner (which is ours by right) with such an increased majority that we may all feel proud of the outcome of the next campaign.

I earnestly solicit co-operation of every true Democrat in the effort to reconcile the differences that brought disaster to our party, so that we may again forge to the front, and forever maintain that positon.

The money question is a very important one, in which all are interested. Gold and silver coinage has always been a Democratic idea, and I claim that our government is able and should adopt the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the raito of 16 to 1, and maintain it without the consent of any power on earth. It is a scource of regret to me, that after our four-fathers declared their independence and forced England to acknowledge it, and after one hundred and nineteen years of unexceled prosperity, we are unable to make our own money without the consent of other nations.

Now I am willing to lay self a side and work for the success of the party with all honorable means. I would rather meet defeat than to succeed by fraud or any dishonorable scheming.

If there is any other man better qualified to unite the party and lead them on to victory than I am, I will cheerfully resign in his favor and still be a Democrat. If there is but six left I am one of them.

R. A. Allred.
Chairman of Central Commitee.
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"'You won't, eh?' said the wayfarer, in whose gruff voice there was a trace of surprise. 'Do you know who I am?'

"'No, I don't know,' answered Shorty, cracking his whip at the leaders; 'and what's more, I don't care a cuss.'

"'I am Sam Brown!' thundered the stranger, 'and I reckon my name's good for a ride on Ben Holliday's or any other stage line in Nevada. Do you want—'

"At the words 'Sam Brown,' Shorty brought his four horses all back on their haunches with one jerk.

"'Whoa! Whoa!' he shouted, as he tugged at the lines. 'You headstrong beasts, will you ever stop pulling! Excuse me, Mr. Brown, for keeping you waiting. It's these plagued horses won't stop. I didn't recognize you in the dark, Mr. Brown. Will you step inside or ride on the box with me? Glad to see you, Mr. Brown, and always honored to have you ride on my coach!'

"Mr. Brown climbed grimly to the box, took his seat unthankfully as by right of possession, and was the guest of honor into Virginia City. Shorty was extremely polite, and his tones to his horses even were apologetic all the rest of the trip. Sam Brown was a man of immense physique and formidable aspect. His long hair was, according to his custom, pinned up under his hat—he used bowie knives for that purpose by popular report; it was when angry that he shook it loose and flung it like a mane about his shoulders. His revolvers were plainly indicated beneath his long black frock coat, and there could be no doubt that lurking in concealment somewhere about his person was the historic knife that had let out so many human lives. He might be described rather as an interesting than agreeable companion, and Shorty was relieved of painful suspense by finding as the minutes passed that he showed no disposition to revert to the first words of their colloquy. Indeed, Mr. Brown, whose usual manner had the types of amiability that a grizzly bear manifests in his different moods, softened [illegible] something like tolerance of his into[illegible] under the influence of a company [illegible] passed up by a mining whisky bottle [illegible] coach, and he even man from within [illegible]rous remarks, made some grimly hum[illegible] self duly at which the driver and [illegible] at enlaughed with an affectation of gre[illegible] joyment. At the entrance of the Prim[illegible] ventura saloon, on the principal street of the city, Mr. Brown alighted in style, the cynosure of attraction for all who witnessed his coming. Shorty rallied amazingly after his departure, and he swelled with pride at the barrooms that night as he told at every second drink of having brought Sam Brown in on his coach.

"Our renowned fellow passenger was probably, taken all around, the most hardened and dangerous ruffian that ever figured in the red history of the Pacific slope. Up to the time that the vigilance committees got into operation his reign of terror was supreme in Nevada. The number of men he had killed was variously computed, but the list was a long one, and some of his deeds of blood were of uncommon atrocity. It was his pleasant custom to walk into a store or saloon and demand fifty dollars of the proprietor, which was usually handed him without protest. One unfortunate clerk who refused the tribute he shot dead across the counter."

One Dollar Damages.

The court room at Tucson was crowded at the opening, on June 21st, of the case of Marshal W. K. Meade, who sued for $25,000 damages against the *Star* Publishing company.

The *Star* filed an amended answer offering the truth of the statements in the alleged libelous article complained of. Plaintiff's attorneys objected to the testimony and the case was ordered by the court submitted to the jury on argument only.

In three hours a verdict was reached allowing Meade one dollar damages. Attorney Geueral Satterwhite and Barnes & Martin were attorneys for the *Star;* Judge Wright was Meade's attorney.

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Just now there is a good deal of talk about the wonderful quantities of sacaline, which is advertised as a forage plant of great value. We are assured that it will stand all extremes of wet or dry weather, and that it is marvelously productive and nutritious; in short, it is the long sought for forage plant, adapted to all climates, conditions and soils, and when once rooted it requires no further care or cultivation. There is absolutely no ground upon which to base all the preposterous claims as to the value of this plant. It is undoubtedly hardy and an enormous grower, but as a forage plant it is not likely to be of much value, for the simple reason that stock will not eat it unless they are starved to it. And the stock know pretty nearly what they want.

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For the past three years, says Mrs. M. Duesler in Agricultural *Epitomist*, I have killed the horns of the calves, and find it a much better way than cutting them off the cows. My plan is to take caustic potash, and when the calf is three weeks old, or sooner, if the button shows sufficiently, and moisten it around the same, press the hair back from around it and apply the caustic by rubbing until the horn looks nearly raw and the hair which comes in contact with the caustic is loose and comes out by picking at it. The operation doesn't seem to give the calf any pain. I do the work myself, and the cautery or sore spot soon dries down to a black hard scab, which drops off in a few weeks and leaves the head as a born muley. Of course you want to be careful to rub every bit of the horn. I cover about an inch in diameter with the caustic, and I am careful to wrap the stick of potash with a paper to protect my fingers, leaving bare just enough to rub the horn with.

The resolutions passed by the press league demanding legislation giving newspaper men the same right to keep secrets which the laws give clergymen, lawyers and others, is only a petition for justice which should by all means be granted willingly. A newspaper reporter's value ceases when he is discovered to be a man unworthy of confidence, and if the law [illegible] to deprive him of that honor [illegible] injured by the law. The majority of reporters are honorable enough to go to jail rather than "tell," but they should be protected. They [illegible] good citizens as clergymen are [illegible] or lawyer[illegible].—*Republican.*

Walt Mason: [illegible] The great and gorgeous chandlier [illegible] lus- up the royal room shed [illegible] tre on the hair of Miss Cecilia Tarraboom. That maiden's heart was full of ire, and ire too deep for tongue to tell; her noble azure eyes shot fire, waves her bosom rose and fell. Before her stood a trembling youth who had just asked her queenly hand; and she, alas; with little ruth, had laughed to scorn his meek demand. You ask me, sir, to be your bride, to meet with you the worldly blast; to trot forever at your side, and cherish you until the last. I do not think that such a man was ever by my heart desired; you're built on to poor a plan, you fill me with that feeling tired. You are a merchant you say, you deal in nails and codfish pies; you hope to make your business pay, and yet you never advertise." All humble by this stern rebuff, the suitor took my empty gun; he loaded it with sand and stuff, and blew his brains out one by one.

Governor Upham's Story of Lincoln.

President Cleveland had a breezy and interesting caller at the White House recently in the person of Governor Upham of Wisconsin.

"Just thirty-three years ago, Mr. President," said he, "I stood in this very room talking to the man who was then President of the United States. It was Mr. Lincoln Senator Doolittle from my state brought me up here and introduced me, and told Mr. Lincoln I had just come from the rebel prison hospital in Richmond, where I had been for three months with a gunshot wound in my left shoulder. To my great amazement, President Lincoln asked me to take off my coat. In as much as I was a soldier and he was the Commander-in Chief of the army and navy, I promptly but wondering obeyed orders. "Take off your shirt please," said Mr. Lincoln, and I pulled off my shirt. I want to see your wound explained the President, and he stood me up by that window and looked closely at the spot where the bullet had entered my shoulder. He was as sympathetic as any woman could be, and said all manner of nice things to me. I suppose I am the only living man who was ever asked by a President of the United States to take off his coat and shirt in the White House."

THE QUESTION WAS ANSWERED.

She Wanted Her Escort to Guess Her Age and the Conductor Spoke.

Loud talking in public places, such as restaurants and public conveyances, is more of a European than an American custom, but occasionally you meet Americans, or persons born in this country of foreign parents, who have that European habit strongly developed. Sometimes this habit occasions embarrassment to those who indulge in it.

A woman dressed gaudily and in a way that did not comport with her years—for she was in the neighborhood of two score, while her attire would have been more appropriate for a girl of seventeen—entered a Broadway car at Herald square a few days ago.

It was evident from her attire that she had an object in concealing her age. Her escort was about thirty-five years old. Their actions denoted that she was either his sweetheart, or trying to be.

The woman talked very loudly; her escort answered quietly. Everybody in the car could hear every word she said. When the car reached Forty-first street she announced:

"My birthday will be to-morrow."

"Indeed!" replied the escort, "I am glad you have imparted the information. It will give me the op—"

"Now, see if you are a good guesser. Guess how many," she interrupted.

"Oh, I wouldn't like to try."

"Go on. Guess how many."

"Forty-second!" cried the conductor.

The passengers struggled to suppress laughter. The woman's escort smiled, but the woman looked angry.

"Let's get out!" she said softly—the only thing she had not said loudly.—N. Y. Herald.

A TAME CROW'S BOOTY.

He Would Steal Anything That Was Bright and Shining.

He boldly pillaged the neighbors round. A woman who lived near once caught him pecking at a pot cheese she had made, and put him to flight. He returned, and stole a downy little chicken, one of a brood that belonged to her. He flew home with it, and laid it upon the ground, but alive and unharmed. There were plenty of young chickens running about at home, but Jim never touched one of these.

Anything bright and shining pleased his fancy very much. He had no scruples about taking what did not belong to him. Like a miser, he had a hiding place for his treasures, and he was very careful not to go to it when he was watched. One day it was discovered in the barn quite by accident. Among other articles that he had secreted were found nails, screws, beads, bits of broken glass, and, best of all, a pair of earrings—and this strange collection was the grand result of months of patient thievery!

It was very difficult to keep a lead pencil in his vicinity. When he stole one, he would hold it in his claw, and peck at it until the cedar wood was split in twain, after which he would remove the lead. If some one endeavored to take the pencil from him, he would dodge about, making desperate but ineffectual efforts to swallow his booty whole.—Malcolm Frazer, in St. Nicholas.

She Wanted Half.

"One of the funniest cases I ever found," says a jolly book agent, "was when I was canvassing for an encyclo[illegible] [illegible] lady, who mourned [illegible] precision that reminded me of Dickens' lady who practiced on 'prunes and prism.' I made known my business and extolled the encyclopedia in all the terms known to the profession. She listened quietly, and when I had finished, puckered up her mouth and said:

"'I will take one volume, sir.'

"The idea of one volume of an encyclopedia being wanted without the [illegible] of the work was so novel it almost [illegible] me.

"'Which [illegible] volume?' I asked.

"'Whic[illegible] and one, sir.'

"'The seco[illegible], have you already got the first volume?' [illegible] stiffly. 'I will [illegible]'

"'No, sir,' she replie[illegible] take the second volume. [illegible] Lewiston Journal.

"I had no more to say."—

A Patent Lawyer.

A lawyer who makes a specialty of patent business, no matter just where his office is located, was called to the further west in a case involving a mortgage on a farm. The preliminary hearing was before an old-fashioned justice of the peace, who had no high regard for the ways of men from the city. At some point in the case, the magistrate put in a few remarks and the visiting lawyer collided with him. The discussion grew warm and at last the magistrate, forgetting his dignity and his position, became personal.

"Who are you, anyway?" he blurted out.

"Well," replied the lawyer, "I'm an attorney."

"P'raps you are, but I never heard one talk like you do. What kind of a one are you?"

"I'm a patent attorney."

The magistrate rubbed his chin for thought.

"Well, all I've got to say is," he said, slowly, "that when the patent expires, I don't believe you can ever get it renewed again."—Detroit Free Press.

Well Said.

An excellent as well as witty reproof, which might be applicable to some politicians even in these enlightened days, is accredited to the celebrated Richard Brinley Sheridan. When his son, Thomas Sheridan, was candidate for the representation of a Cornish borough, he told his father that if he secured the office he had a mind to place a label on his forehead with the words "To Let" printed on it, and side with the party that made the best offer. "Very well, Tom," replied his father, dryly, "but if you do that, don't forget to add the word 'Unfurnished.'"—Youth's Companion.

CHURUH NOTES.

M. E. CHURCH, REV. D. ROBERTS, Pastor—Service held every Sabbath morning and evening. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Class meeting after morning's service every other Sunday. Weekly prayer meeting on Thursday at [illegible] p. m.

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The Guardian.

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1895.

LATE EDITORIAL.

CELEBRATION SURE.

Some people still seem to think that the celebration at Fort Thomas is going to be a failure. Rumor is again current to the effect that the affair is only a money making scheme, and that after the people have gathered at Thomas the celebration will be thrown off and thus compel the people to remain in that place the entire day with nothing to do or nothing to see. People call at this office every day making inquiries as to the truth of this statement. From the active and energetic way in which the celebration committee is working to make the 4th of July a day of fun and pleasure, we feel justified in saying that the above rumors are entirely false and only started for the purpose of injuring our Thomas neighbors. This is the first celebration the people of Thomas ever attempted, and instead of trying to injure them, and make them make a failure of the celebration they should be encouraged and helped in every possible way. Thomas is going to have a celebration sure, and those who attend it will have a gala time.

The job plant of the GUARDIAN arrived last week and is now in place ready to do any and all kinds of work. We are as well prepared to do all kinds of fancy and general job printing as any printing establishment in the Southwest. With the single exception of a small inking stone which the *Bulletin* kindly supplied us with at the beginning, everything from our Mann Cylinder press down to our nonpariel spaces are new and direct from the factory. The public is invited to call and see our establishment, and witness the neat and speedy work of our news and job presses. We can do all kinds of work as cheap as any office in the entire country, and fill orders in as short notice.

If the mining men of the Lone Star District accept the proposition of Messrs. Murphy and Ryan in regard to building a smelter here, which we believe they will, it will place Safford on a business footing that the whole county can well be proud of. It will not only be the means of increasing our business, but will also increase our population more rapidly. There is plenty of room for more people, and plenty of the most fertile land in the world which can be bought; there are also vacant city lots in desirable locations for both business houses and residences. The business men of the city should encourage the move so that a possibility of the failure of the erection of the mill will be out of the question.

A TUCSON jury last week convicted Brother Dunbar of the *Gazette* of libel against Meade Bruce and Heney. A determined effort was made to indict Dunbar in Graham county at the October session of our District court, in 1893, but as the District Attorney and other officials did not believe that this county should shoulder the expense of a big political quarrel the attempt was defeated. From that time dates the "break" between the late Attorney General of Arizona and the District Attorney of Graham county.

A man in Kansas sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the murder of his wife, has appealed to the governor to be hung. He seems to have an acute conception of poetical justice and says if he is insane he should be sent to the asylum, but if sane he should be hanged, and as no executive of Kansas has ever yet had the courage to order a convict to be executed, the present one is reluctant to "break the record." He should however, make an exception in this fellow's favor. —*Tribune.*

THE Republican national league convention at Cleveland, O. on the 21st instants adopted resolutions against the free coinage of silver after quite a struggle. Many of the free silver delegates were loud in their denunciation and expressions of disappointment.

The date on which the article appeared in the *Gazette* for which Dunbar was fined should read 9th, 1893 instead of 1895.

THE LAND GRANT FRAUD.

The famous Peralta land grant case was submitted to the Court of Land Claims at Santa Fe, N. M., on the 18th of this month without argument, and on the 25th the Court handed down its decision which declared the grant a fraud and James Addison Peraltaceavis, the notorious land grabber was immediately placed under arrest.

Thus do we see the cloud which has hung over the most and best of Arizona's agriculture and mineral lands lifted for ever, and there is no doubt but that the man who has robbed the people out of so many thousand dollars will receive what he deserves in the courts.

For about twenty-five years has this man labored and spent the people's money to perfect his rascally scheme, but at last it has fallen to the ground and the people of Central Arizona can now rest secure that their homes will not be wrenched from them by this land shark.

There is considerable talk among the cliff hunters of Safford regarding the possibility of making another exploring voyage, this time in the direction of the Nantack mountains, about 25 miles north of here. Alluring descriptions are received from there about the ice-cold springs, grassy slopes, and monster caves. The party will probably start shortly after the 4th of July.

THE Governor of Illinois has called an extra session of the Illinois Legislature to meet within a short time. Eleven subjects of legislation are embraced in the call and no other matters can be considered except those specified by the Governor. On the 14th instant the legislature adjourned after a continuous session of five and one half months.

Poor little Heney, how the little fellow must suffer—a big mouth under a small hat is a dangerous companion.—*Gazette*

On account of changing the day of issue of the GUARDIAN to one day earlier part of our correspondence from the different towns did not arrive in time for this issue, but it will not happen again.

Thomas Steele formerly a resident of Safford, has moved his household effects to Willcox, where he will reside in the future. Mr. Steele is well known throughout the Territory, and we regret seeing him leave our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Maurer, of Willcox have been visiting in the city several days this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Hunter. Mr. Maurer has been in the employ of the S. P. company at Willcox for a number of years. Both Mr. and Mrs. Maurer are high in their praise of the Gila valley and they are thinking quite seriously of purchasing a home in Safford.

The ice machine at Thatcher started up on Wednesday last, but it had not been running long until it was discovered that the water supply which had been provided was not sufficient, and operations temporarily stopped until a new well can be dug.

It has been arranged with the railroad company to run a train from Thomas to Solomonville on the night of the Fourth, immediately after the display of fireworks, so that those who attend the celebration and do not wish to remain to the ball will be able to return home the same day.

A Letter to Grand-pa.

The following letter was received by Post Master Hunter the other day which conveyed to him the information of the birth of his first grand child, of which Mr. Hunter is as proud as a peacock:

CLIFTON A. T. June 20th

Dear Grand-pa Hunter:—

Your grand-son sends his best love to all and to his great grand mother Gallaspy. Mother and son doing well.

HARRY L. CASTLE.

We call attention to the Safford's livery stable's ad. which will be found elsewhere in this issue. Mr. Madson has purchased more new rigs and is now prepared to accommodate the public at any and all times.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead No. 1361.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.,
June 13, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge of the Probate Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on July 20, 1895, viz

Margaret R. Jean, widow of William L. Jean, of Central, Graham county Ariz. for the S ½ of N W ¼ Sec 28 Tp 6 S R 25 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Thomas G. Webster, Jacob G. Bigler, William G. Clemens and Oscar Tyler, all of Central, Graham county, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL,
REGISTER.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead No. 1159.

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON, ARIZ.,
June 8, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court, at Solomonville, Arizona, on July 22, 1895, viz: Mary Blair, widow of Carleton J. Blair, deceased, of Thatcher, Arizona, for the W ½ and S E ¼ of S E ¼ Sec 22, and N E ¼ of N E ¼ Sec 27, T 5 p 6 S, R 25 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William R. Waddle, David V. A. Talley, George Skinner and Peter O. Peterson, all of Graham, Graham county, Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL,
6-15-6t Register.

Summons.

In the District Court, Second Judicial District, Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

MILLARD F. McBRIDE, Plaintiff.
VS.
William M. Hurst, John W. Wiley, August Kiehne, Emeline Putnam, Metropolitan National Bank of Kansas City Missouri, Fish and Keck Company of Kansas City Missouri, and Henry Kollar, co-partners doing business under the firm name of Hurst, Black, Kiehne and Wiley Defendants.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in and for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to the above named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the County of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons if served in this county, but if served out of the county but within this district then within twenty days, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required judgment by default will be taken against you, as prayed in said complaint, and costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

(SEAL.) Given under my hand and the seal of the District Court affixed hereto, at Solomonville, this 20th day of June 1895. BURWELL B. ADAMS, Clerk.

Wiley E. Jones, attorney for plaintiff.

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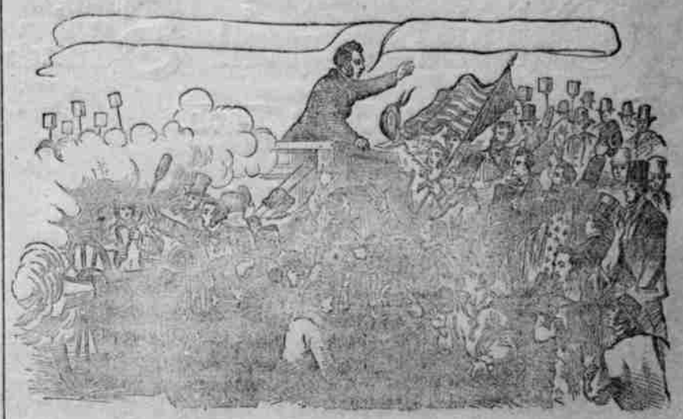

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